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MODERN INDIAN LANGUAGE STATUS TO HINDI
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Hindi has been provided the status of the modern Indian language in the new curriculum being prepared by the N.C.E.R.T.;

(b) if so, whether declaring Hindi as modern Indian language would not amount to lowering its status of our national and official language; and (

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a) NCERT has informed that there is no mention in the National Curriculum Framework 2005 prepared by NCERT of Hindi having been provided the status of the modern Indian language.

(b) & (c) Do not arise.